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CITIZENS URGED TO PLACE LIGHTS ON LIVING TREES

Unique Christmas Feature
Gains Popularity In
California

"An outdoor Christmas Tree for
Every Home."

This slogan is being broadcast
throughout the State by the Out-
door Christmas Tree Association
of California reorganized this week
in San Francisco to urge the de-
coration of living out-door trees
during the coming holiday season.

The 1929 movement was formal-
ly launched at the Sir Francis
Drake Hotel last Friday noon at
a big luncheon rally attended by
several hundred representatives
of women's clubs, chambers of
commerce, forest and conservation
bodies, service clubs, park com-
missions and development associa-
tions from all parts of California.

Governor C. C. Young and John
McLaren, Superintendent of Golden
Gate Park in San Francisco,
were the guests of honor. Clarence
F. Pratt, president and organ-
izer of the Outdoor Christmas
Tree Association of California,
presided.

"California is the land of Christ-
mas out-of-doors," declared Pratt.
"Think for a moment what a won-
derful sight it would be if every
city and town in this state were
to have a great out-door Christ-
mas party and everyone whose
garden is graced with a suitable
tree were to convert it into a live,
sparkling Christmas tree, blink-
ing with colored lights. Last year
thousands of decorated out-door
tree brought fame to California
as the news spread to all parts
of the world. Let us unite to
make our slogan 'an outdoor
Christmas tree for every Califor-
nia home' come true this year."

The objects of the Outdoor
Christmas Tree Association are:

1. To assist in the preservation
of the forests of California.
2. To advertise California's won-
derful all-year-around outdoor cli-
mate.
3. To teach the children as well
as the grown-ups, forestry.
4. To encourage the planting
and caring for of outdoor living
Christmas trees by the children.
5. To give pleasure to those
who see the electrically lighted
and decorated outdoor trees.
6. To bring back the old-fash-
ioned Christmas family reunion.

NILES RESIDENT VICTIM OF FATAL LUNG ATTACK

Stricken with a sudden attack
of pneumonia, George Wilson, 32,
a resident of Niles and employed
by the International Wood Pro-
ducts company, died Saturday
night at his home here. He
leaves a widow, Mrs. Jane Wil-
son, and two children, Irene, 4,
and Harold, 6.

Surviving him also are his par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wil-
son, and a brother, Henry.

Wilson was taken sick Thurs-
day. His condition was appar-
ently improving until Saturday
night, when it took a sudden
turn for the worse. Dr. E. C.
Grau was in attendance.

Funeral services will be held
at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon
from the Botelho funeral parlor
at Centerville. Interment will be
at Mt. Eden cemetery.

Estimated returns to lettuce
growers of San Fernando Valley
for fall lettuce crop placed at
\$460,000.—Van Nuys News.

COMING EVENTS

CAST THEIR
SHADOWS BEFORE

REGISTER'S FRATERNAL, SOCIAL
AND AMUSEMENT CALENDAR

Nov. 27—Washington "high school" "special" at Garden of Allah.

TO OUR PILGRIM FATHERS WE PAY HOMAGE

ONCE AGAIN Thanksgiving has rolled around and today we have the honor of paying our respects to those hardy pioneers who braved the wilds of a new land, and upon this date more than three hundred years ago offered up their thanks to God Almighty for the bounties they had received. Let us always be thankful for our blessings, whether they be large or small for the same God is caring for us, who cared for the Pilgrims.



Tax Rate Is Announced For Alameda County Water Bond

By CHRIS RUNKEL,
Secretary Alameda County Water District

The tax rate this year for the Alameda County Water District is fifty-five cents on each \$100. of assessed property valuation. This tax will raise \$50,000, of which \$45,000 is to be used as

the initial payment on the pur-
chase of water rights at Alvarado.

The other \$5,000 will be used to
help pay the expenses of the dis-
trict for the current year.

Next March the voters will be
asked to vote a bond issue of \$25,000 to pay the balance on the
purchase of the pumping rights and other property.

The question naturally arises as to what the
annual tax rate must be to meet
the interest on the bonds and the
annual payment on the principal.

This annual payment will depend
on how many years are to be
taken to pay off the bonded in-
debtedness. It has been sug-
gested that the life of the bond
issue be twenty-five years. The
payment each year for the first
five years can be placed at

\$1,000; for the second five years,
\$7,500; for the third five years,
\$10,000; for the fourth, \$12,500;

and for the fifth, \$15,000.

It is believed that with the
improving conditions of the bond
market the interest rate can be
fixed at five per cent. Assuming
this to be the rate, the interest
on the \$250,000 for the first year
will be \$12,500. Adding to this
the payment on the principal of
\$5,000, will make a total of \$17,500
to be raised by tax next year on
the bond issue.

The present assessed valuation
of the district is nine million dol-
lars. Each cent of tax on \$100

Railroad is Inviting Hoboes to Leave Niles

It's, "come on, bum, start mov-
ing," around the Niles yards of
the Southern Pacific company
these days.

Special agents for the railroad
company are conducting a drive
against the Weary Willies in this
vicinity. A number of freight cars
are reported to have been broken
into and robbed here during the
last few weeks.

The tramps are being brought
before Justice of the Peace J. A.
Silva and given one hour in which
to get out of town. They are being
instructed to use the high-
ways instead of the railroads on
the way out.

THANKSGIVING

By presidential decree, a day
of national observance is an-
nually set aside to the end that
the American people may offer
their devotions to the Creator
of the Universe in special rec-
ognition of the many blessings
that have been manifested to
them during the year.

Our people are not unmind-
ful of the graciousness that
Providence has extended to this
nation. They deeply ap-
preciate the significance of this
annual day of meditation and
thanksgiving, and attest this
sentiment by gathering in their
respective houses of worship to
voice their gratitude for the
many good things that they
share alike.

We, as a nation, may with
entire appropriateness make
every day of the year an oc-
casion of rejoicing for the
many and varied beneficencies
which we commonly enjoy.

2 CARS CRASH IN GAME RUSH LAST SATURDAY

Two cars, one belonging to F.
L. Williams of Stockton, and the
other to R. J. O'Connell, of Mod-
esto, met with grief on the
Niles-Mission San Jose road Sat-
urday morning while on their
way to attend the Stanford-Cal-
ifornia football game at Stanford.
Miss Williams was cut and bruised
by flying glass and was taken
to a San Jose hospital.

The accident is said to have
occurred when a car in attempt-
ing to pass another on the high-
way met a car coming from the
opposite direction. Both cars
were damaged, one being brought
to the Rose garage in Niles for
repairs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Townsend
left here Wednesday for Selma
where they planned to spend
Thanksgiving and the week end
with Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Town-
send, parents of Mr. Townsend.
They will return here Monday.

HOT TIMES NOW FOR BOY SCOUTS IN LOCAL GROUP

Club House Now Boasts Separate Stove for Each Room

Hot times are expected in the
club house of the local troupe of
Boy Scouts now, for the group
has recently been presented with
three stoves.

Jack Geib donated one stove.
His idea was shared by J. E.
Ferry, who gave another. And
then along came C. E. Marten-
stein with the third. There are
just three rooms in the Scout
cottage, and now there is a sepa-
rate heating system for each.

The club house, a recent ac-
quisition of the Scouts, is being
furnished by donations from citi-
zens and organizations. Besides
the triple gift of heating appar-
atus, the club boasts of a radio
set, presented by Blakow & Sulli-
van, local radio dealers.

The new stoves were initiat-
ed at the last meeting of the
Scouts, held last Friday night.
Further business included report
of the recent turkey raffle and
benefit night at the Niles thea-
ter, which netted \$40. This sum
will probably be used on improve-
ments for the club house.

Tentative plans were made for
the initiation of new members
at a meeting to be held in the
near future. No definite proce-
dure was announced, but the boys
all agree it is going to be pret-
ty terrible for the new members.

SOUZA-DUARTE WEDDING

Miss Mamie R. Souza, of Mis-
sion San Jose, recently became
the bride of Antony Duarte, of
Niles. The wedding took place
at Mission San Jose, Father Leah
performing the ceremony. At-
tending the couple were Miss
Mamie Duarte and John Andrews,
of Niles. They will make their
home here following a trip to
the north.

See Register's Christmas Cards.

NILES CANYON HIGHWAY WILL OPEN DEC. 15th STATES ROADMASTER

REOPENING of the Niles Canyon Highway on the
promised date of December 15, now appears more
certain than at any time since the Sunol Chamber of
Commerce has been behind the move to force the
work. Road Master A. C. Day informed the Sunol
group this week that his department is making its
preparations now for the beginning of the fill necessary
to close up the cave-in.

Niles Canyon Highway has its repair work two weeks ago,
and resumed operation of trains
over its own right-of-way on Sun-
day, November 10. From the
time of the fire until that date
the Western Pacific has been
using the Southern Pacific's
tracks from Pleasanton to Niles.
It is said at the present time,
that the only thing which will
keep the highway from being
ready for re-opening on the date
promised, will be heavy rains,
now a long time overdue. Un-
less the rains, if they do come,
are exceptionally heavy, work
will go ahead according to word
given the Sunol Chamber of Com-
merce.

During the period the highway
has been closed, work on
the Clark bridge further down
the canyon toward Niles, has
been going ahead at a rapid
pace, according to reports of the
contractors, C. A. Bruce & Sons
of Pleasanton. The bridge is now
nearing completion, but a first
class detour has been constructed
and will not cause any trouble
for motorists when the highway
is opened.

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The Newark Register

By JULIA RUSCHIN



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A number of Newark people attended the card party given by the Men's club of St. James Episcopal church in Centerville last Tuesday evening. Among those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cockefair, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. D. Smith, Mrs. N. D. Slevin, Misses Rachel and Edith Ross, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ruschin, Louis Ruschin, Jr., M. D. Silva, Eugene Silva and Lois Musick attended the "Big Game" at the Stanford stadium on Saturday.

Mrs. Chas. Cockefair wishes at this time to thank through the columns of the Township Register, Mrs. W. D. Patterson, Mrs. M. B. Reynolds, Mrs. Frank Jones and Miss Julia Ruschin, who so kindly helped with the Christmas seal sale.

Miss Eva Steinhoff, Miss Louise Yockey, Miss Julia Ruschin, Miss Greta Reed and Hugh Steinhoff attended a turkey whist at Castro valley on Tuesday night.

Many of the Newark Alumnae of Washington Union high school attended the Thanksgiving ball at the Garden of Allah Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cockefair will spend Thanksgiving in Oakland as the guests of Miss Margaret Wales.

Miss Margaret Laudenschlager and William Laudenschlager will spend Thanksgiving in San Francisco.

Norval K. Turnbow is in Independence, Missouri, this week. I was called there suddenly last Friday on account of the death of his brother, Paul.

Mission San Jose

By Agnes Rogers and Josephine Fernandez

William Want, a pioneer of Mission, passed away Thursday night at the San Jose hospital. His many friends were shocked at his sudden death. He is mourned by all his friends and relatives. He is survived by his son, Charles, of Oakland, and a brother, Thomas Want, and several nephews. He was 81 years of age. Services were held at Centerville and interment was in the Odd Fellows' cemetery at Irvington.

Mission Indians upset the San Martain baseball team Sunday by a score of 5 to 1. Bill Telles pitcher for the winners, allowed but three hits, and Pheagle, pitcher for the losers, was hit for seven bingles. Two-baggers were hit by J. Telles and Bill Telles.

Alyos Shnieder and Marie Wies of Mission were married Sunday at the St. Joseph church. It was a quiet wedding. Father Leal officiated.

KEN MAYNARD IN STIRRING STORY ON NILES SCREEN

Talking-Singing Hit Has Early California Setting

Ken Maynard, whose hobby is collecting old songs of the West gives samples of these and also several Spanish love songs in "Senior Americano," his latest Universal talking picture, showing Saturday at the Niles theater.

As Michael Banning, United States cavalry officer, he swashbuckles his way through danger, romance and intrigue in the old Spanish West. On a secret mission to Southern California, he encounters all sorts of daring adventures, a duel or so, and a languorous Spanish senorita with soulful eyes, a mantilla and a fan, with whom the young cavalry officer falls in love.

The picture has action and romance galore. There is riding and fighting and trouble with hot-blooded Spanish rivals. One sequence depicts a typical and extremely colorful fiesta of the sort without which no story of early California is considered complete. At the celebration, the handsome hero does a lot of trick riding and wins the golden bride and also the attention of the lady of his heart.

"Senior Americano" was directed by Harry J. Brown. The cast includes Gino Corrado, J. P. McGowan, Frank Yaconelli and Frank Beale. "Tarzan," Maynard's famous horse, plays an important part.

Helmar Bergman and Henry McCarty are responsible for the epic of the old Spanish West and of Mike Banning, who won his way there with songs for his Spanish sweetheart and a sword edge for his foe.

Balboa—Two-story brick business building costing \$25,000 to be constructed at 511 Central Avenue.

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629 First St.

Local Brevities

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Garcia and Elizabeth Nunez of San Francisco were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Garcia Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Correia drove to Oakland Sunday to visit Mrs. Alice Gabriel, sister of Mrs. Correia.

Among those to attend the big game at Stanford last Saturday were Roland Bendel and his brother, Colonel C. S. Bendel, who drove down with L. Peacock, principal of the Decoto grammar school. Colonel Bendel, who lives in Sacramento, spent the weekend at the Roland Bendel home.

Holiday cards that are different and distinctive. Come in and see our line. No trouble to show very large line. Township Register Commercial printing department.

L. J. Duffy and Antrim Bunting were also in the throng which made the "big trek" to Palo Alto Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Orcutt, mother of Mrs. D. Marble and of Leon Orcutt of Niles, arrived recently from the East. Mrs. Orcutt, whose home is in Oneida, New York, will spend the winter here. She has not been in California since two years ago, at which time also she wintered here at the home of her daughter.

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29x4.40 (4.40-21) . . .	\$ 4.97	\$ 5.78	\$ 6.68	\$ 9.45
30x4.50 (4.50-21) . . .	5.59	6.57	7.60	10.25
29x4.75 (4.75-20) . . .	6.60	7.98	8.75	12.35
30x5.00 (5.00-20) . . .	7.10	8.49	9.65	13.35
31x5.00 (5.00-21) . . .	7.25	8.78	9.90	13.85
30x5.25 (5.25-20) . . .	8.40	9.77	10.95	14.65
31x5.25 (5.25-21) . . .	8.55	10.15	11.35	14.85
30x5.50 (5.50-20) . . .	10.15	10.95	10.95	15.85
32x6.00 (6.00-20) . . .	10.80	13.75	13.75	18.60
33x6.00 (6.00-21) . . .	10.95	13.95	13.95	18.90
32x6.50 (6.50-20) . . .	10.95	15.65	15.65	19.75
35x7.00 fits 33x6.75 . . .	10.95	18.65	24.65	

SIZE	Wear-well Cord 10,000-Mile Guarantee	Western Giant Passenger Car Type 10,000-Mile Guarantee	Western Giant Extra Heavy Truck Type
30x3 1/2 Cl. Regular	\$ 4.45	\$ 4.97	
30x3 1/2 Cl. Oversize	4.69	5.38	\$ 8.45
30x3 1/2 SS Oversize	6.60	8.95	
31x4 SS Oversize	7.60	9.65	12.70
32x4 SS Oversize	7.84	10.15	16.85
33x4 SS Oversize	8.55	13.40	17.95
32x4 1/2 SS Oversize	10.15	13.85	20.85
33x4 1/2 SS Oversize	10.15	18.65	21.95
30x5 SS Oversize	10.15		
33x5 SS Oversize	10.15		

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day remembrance.

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Definite Action To Remove Band Stand Looms At Last

Rewarding the strenuous efforts of civic minded residents and a long-continued campaign by the Register, a famous eye-sore is to be removed at last from the main thoroughfare of Niles.

The antiquated and dilapidated band stand, which has withstood onslaughts of wind, weather and severe criticism for some three years, now faces prospect of demolition by members of the local Boy Scout troop. Suggestion to that effect was received with favorable comment, though no definite action was taken, by the Niles Chamber of Commerce at their meeting Tuesday.

J. E. Townsend, who advanced the proposition, states the boys, for whom he is scoutmaster, are willing to do the work and receive compensation in the form of timber from the torn-up structure.

No band has played in the old stand since several months after its construction three years ago. Weekly concerts by the Washington township band under the auspices of the United Order of Druids, were tried. The movement died after repeated attempts failed to arouse community support.

And the old stand, minus mu-

sicians and paint, has remained in its place of honor "because" until now no project for its removal received sufficient impetus and approval.

Ruth McCord To Leave Welfare Position Shortly

Mrs. Ruth McCord, executive secretary of the Southern Alameda county welfare board, has tendered her resignation to become effective January 1, 1930. The board in session last week

in Hayward accepted the resignation with much regret. Mrs. McCord has been with the welfare board for several years and is well known throughout the county.

Social service work in a responsible capacity will claim Mrs. McCord's attentions after the first of the year. She will be engaged in this work in Contra Costa county.

Mrs. Claudio Smallwood and Ernest W. Schween, Pleasanton's representatives on the board, were in attendance at the meeting.

LOCAL NEWS

A recent arrival in Niles is little Miss Mary Duarte, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Duarte, who was born Tuesday at the Silva maternity home.

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Nov. 28—High School Varsity vs. Alumni, football game.

Centerville Plans Live Christmas Tree Again

Centerville's chamber of commerce is making plans for lighting again this year the living Christmas tree which was lit up last year.

A program is being prepared for the presentation under the tree, which stands in the square near the Southern Pacific depot. Preparatory to its holiday role, the tree is undergoing strenuous beauty treatment, which includes pruning.

The Register for better printing

Eastern Star Will Install New Officers

Orient chapter of Eastern Star at Centerville will install officers at its December meeting, according to recent announcement.

The new staff is as follows: Mrs. Ruth H. Ilwig, associate matron; Earl Hellwig, worthy patron; Mrs. Sadie Hodges, associate matron; E. B. Hodges, associate patron; Mrs. Fern Mitte, secretary; Mrs. Dora Richmond, treasurer; Mrs. Tillie Gould, conductress, and Miss Jeanette Richmon, associate conductress.

CASILEWOOD CLUB IS LOCATION FOR POST-GAME EVENT

Centerville Group Makes Whoopie at Country Club Saturday

By way of aftermath to the big game at Stanford Saturday, a no-host party was held at Casilewood country club.

Among the Centerville residents who attended the affair were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dusterberry, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Emerson, Mr. and Mrs. George Emerson, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Chadbourne, Miss Etta Chadbourne, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson and Dr. and Mrs. McWhirter.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Moore and Mr. and Mrs. William Eberly, both couples of Niles, were also present.

POLICE TAGS ARE BAD LUCK SIGNS TO 4 SPEEDERS

Tuesday was a bad day for speeders. At least it was for the four who appeared for sentence in the justice court of Judge A. G. Norris at Centerville and received fines ranging from \$10 to \$15, which they paid.

The unlucky group consisted of Jonas Ruff and Anthony Compagna of San Jose, William Ibrig of Alameda and John Hanks of Oakland. Ruff was hitting it up at 60 miles per hour when nabbed and was fined \$15. The others were caught doing 55 miles per hour. They paid \$10 each.

All four received their tags from Traffic Officer Duffy Lewis, who spotted them for speeding along the highway between Walnut Springs and the Alameda county line between five and seven o'clock Sunday evening, November 17.

CENTERVILLE P.T.A. STARTS WORK ON HOLIDAY BASKETS

Program Follows Business During November Meeting

Plans for preparation and distribution of Christmas baskets to be sent this year as usual to motherless homes in the district were started when members of the Parent-Teachers association met at Centerville grammar school November 19.

Mrs. Fred Rogers will direct work on the baskets, which are to contain home cooked food contributed by the P.T.A. members.

Further business at the meeting included an appeal by the president, Mrs. Clyde Anderson, for the club's cooperation with the production of the Christmas play to be presented by pupils of Washington Union high school under the direction of Mrs. George Silva. The affair was tentatively for the evening of December 11.

Entertainment was contributed by the first and second grade Centerville grammar school pupils at the close of the business session. Two short health plays and piano solos by Helen Rogers and June Tells were presented.

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"Three Live Ghosts," the all-talking fun riot that out-thrills "The Greene Murder Case," and out-mystifies "The Mysterious Dr. Fu Manchu," will open Friday at the Fox Oakland theater, Oakland.

What a play it was! What a picture it is! It's thrilling, it's mysterious, and it's laughable. The action gets under way when three war buddies return home to find themselves officially dead. What they do to convince London town that they're very much alive keeps events moving along in absorbing fashion.

One ghost is a Cockney, one an American, and one can't remember who he is. But by the time they tumble in on a seance, mix with Scotland Yard and wander into the peerage they learn enough and do enough to keep the most exacting entertained.

Charles McNaughton, Robert Montgomery and Claud Allister play the "ghosts," with Jean Arthur as the girl and Beryl Mercer in the famous role of "Old Sweetheart."

A full-stage nursery with life-

size living toys is the distinctively different setting for "Baby Songs Idea," the Fanchon and Marco stage revue. Rose Valdy, the double-voiced singer, mothers the act, and the nursery inmates include Penny Pendleton and Lucille, Miller and Marx, Hermie King and his band and the Sun-kist Babies.

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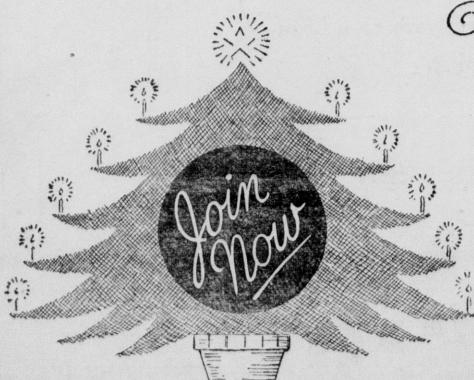
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STATISTICS SHOW TOWNSHIP DRYEST NOW SINCE 1870

Pleasanton township according to Weather statistics is experiencing its driest year since 1870, when there was no rainfall whatever until December. The present season tops that record so far by only .01 of rain recorded in October.

Since 1870 the average rainfall has been 1.49 inches. The only other bone-dry November on record until now occurred in 1870, when 1.20 inches of rain fell in September, however.

Rainfall data for the past ten years show that the present month is usually inclined to be a moist one. The figures, in inches, follow:

1919.....2.38 1924.....1.53

1920.....3.33 1925.....0.97

1921.....1.17 1926.....2.83

1922.....2.86 1927.....1.43

1923......76 1928.....2.57

Carlsbad—Construction of sewer system progressing rapidly.

Niles Theater TALKIES

TO-NITE—(Thursday)—

Irene Rich and William Collier, Jr., in
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Pleasanton School Has Termite Attack

Recent attack by termites at Amador Joint Union high school at Pleasanton is believed to be the first case recorded of the wood destroying insects' invasion of Northern California, although they have long been annoying the southern part of the state. University of California experts have been summoned to banish the termites from the school machine shop, where they demolished a girder and damaged the floor greatly.

Rio Vista—Sprouse-Reitz Company to open for business in store adjacent to Safeway Store on Main Street soon.

SHOOTING SPARKS CAUSE FALSE ALARM FRIDAY

Sparks shooting high into the air from a chimney at the Clarence Crane home, Niles, on Friday evening caused neighbors to fear for the safety of the house and the fire department was called out.

Investigation proved there was nothing more serious than a big, cheery blaze in the fireplace and the shower of sparks observed by the cautious neighbors had been caused by a member of the Crane household turning a big log over on its back.

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XMAS IS KEYNOTE OF PROGRAM FOR LOCAL CLUB MEET

Christmas will be the keynote of the December meeting of the Washington Township Country club, it is announced, when the group meets Tuesday evening at the club house in Centerville.

A variety of entertainment is being planned. Groups of local school children will sing carols and will also present readings. Mrs. Pond is in charge of the musical part of the program.

Two one-act plays are being prepared under the direction of Mrs. Wade Hatch. Members of the country club will take part.

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CLUB MEMBERS PLAN FOR XMAS PARTY, PROGRAM

Presentation of a play, "The Camp Fire Baby," is scheduled by the local Camp Fire Girls for their meeting and Christmas party December 13. An additional feature of the program is announced but is being kept a deep, dark secret, being revealed only as "a surprise."

Members of the club are dividing their energies just now between preparation for the holiday entertainment and work on a set of tea cloths which the girls are making as a Christmas gift to the children of the Welfare Home.

Patricia Duffy, active member of the organization, is the author of the play to be presented.

Niles P.-T. A. Arranges Final Meeting of Year

Bringing their 1929 activities to a close, members of the Niles Parent-Teacher association will meet for the last time this year on December 9. Program plans are under way and will probably include entertainment by pupils of the Niles grammar school.

Mrs. J. E. Townsend, program chairman, is in charge of arrangements for the final gathering of the group. She has urged that every member be present.

Fairfield—New store of Solano Supply and Construction opened for business in Deerborn building.

Arcata—Improvements made to Hilfiker electric building in H Street.

Inventive Boy Manufactures Radio When Set Goes Dead

Just three minutes to play. The score stood 21 to 6 in Stanford's favor. And the radio went dead.

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Of course it wasn't done in time to hear the rest of the big game. But he worked Saturday evening and all day Sunday and the result is a brand new set, with improvements on the old.

Braun is a member of the Amateur Radio Operators association

SUSPENSE MOUNTS HIGH AS YOUTH IS STRANDED IN AIR

Story Hour Group Meets
In New Quarters
93 Attend

Stranded in mid-air while falling down a dangerous precipice. That's what happened to Kayah last week when the Children's Story Hour group of Niles met for the first time in its bigger and better quarters.

Kayah is the handsome and daring young hero of "Lost Indian Magic," thrill, chilly tale of the East, which Mrs. Roland Bendel, leader of the group and official "yarn spinner," relates in weekly installments.

According to everyone but the young man mentioned, the meeting was a big success. Its record attendance of 93 children marked another milestone for the organization, which recently overflowed its room on the top floor of the library and now makes its home in the reading room.

A small group of 18 youngsters formed the nucleus of the Story Hour when it was inaugurated in July of last year. That number was doubled almost immediately. Membership increased by leaps and bounds. This year it reached 50 and kept right on mounting. The top-floor room was filled. Then it became crowded, and at last the group has been moved downstairs.

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Things All Go Wrong
At Camp Fire Meeting

All was not as it should be when the local Camp Fire Girls held their regular meeting last Friday night at the home of their guardian, Mrs. J. E. Townsend.

They called it a "backward night." The usual good-night

ceremony opened the meeting, and the regular order of procedure was run through from end to beginning.

Clothes were worn backward, and the effect resembled that of the famous Looking Glass land, discovered some years ago by Alice-in-Wonderland.

Mrs. Elmer Brinkmeyer, whose husband is minister of the Congregational church, was the guest of honor. She related the story of the "Unhappy Prince."

OFFICERS ELECTED
BY FARM CENTER
FOR ENSUING YEAR

Officers were elected at the meeting of the Pleasanton Farm Center last week in the Odd Fellows' hall at Pleasanton. The results were as follows:

Mrs. B. F. Newton, chairman; Mrs. Lillie Fiero, vice-chairman; and Mrs. Ollie Page, secretary.

The project of the meeting was Christmas suggestions. The next meeting will be December 12, at which time the project will be Christmas cooking. This meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. A. Anderson.

ALVARADO NEWS
Wilbert Martin, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Martin, has been suffering an attack of diphtheria but is reported improving.

Newport Beach—\$200,000 bond issue approved to provide funds for harbor improvement work.

Late Books by Child Guidance
Authorities Expected at LibraryFifteen Volumes To Be
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Teachers association, the idea of thus circulating groups of books, according to Mrs. Bendel, brings to the outlying districts books which can otherwise be secured only in city libraries. Another advantage of the plan as stated by her is that it provides for circulation of new books during their current discussion.

Following is a list of authors and books included in the group:

Aldrich, Cultivating the Child's Appetite; Bruce, Your Growing Child; Cleveland, Training the Toddler; De Schweinitz, Growing Up; Drury, Fathers and Sons; Gardner and Ramsey, Handbook of Children's Literature; Gibson, On Being a Girl; Groves, The Drifting Home, and also Wholesome Childhood; Lucas, The Health of the Run-About Child; Patri, Child Training, also Problems of Childhood; Thom, Everyday Problems of the Everyday Child, and Van Waters, Parents on Probation.

Centerville has the volumes now, and they will reach Niles in approximately two months.

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William Green Dies
Of Suffocation In
Auto Smashup

William Green, 37, an employee of the Hatchy Hatchy water company at its project near Sunol, was almost instantly killed last week when the car he was driving slid over an embankment on the road approximately a mile from the camp and overturned.

Green was pinned beneath the car and was suffocated to death. Green had been on a short vacation, and it is believed that he dozed at the wheel and did not realize his car was going off the road, as the tracks made by the machine show it to have gradually moved onto the loose gravel at the edge of the road and then to have tipped over. There were no traces of fast driving to be seen, or of his having attempted to apply the brakes.

Dr. M. E. Eastman at the coroner's inquest held at the Graham Mortuary Monday morning, testified that several of Green's ribs were severed and the lungs collapsed, showing that when the car turned over, some portion of it pressed against his chest. Death was caused by suffocation in the opinion of Dr. Eastman.

The coroner's jury brought in

a verdict of accidental death caused by suffocation brought about as a result of the crash.

Green had purchased the car only two days before the accident. He was a World War veteran and a native of Pennsylvania. The funeral services were held in Oakland.

THUGS ROB TRUCK
DRIVER OF CASH
ON MISSION HILL

Ralph Padgett of San Jose, was held up and robbed of \$64 at the point of a gun Sunday morning about 5:30 o'clock at the foot of the Mission San Jose hill on the state highway.

Padgett, a truck driver for Frank Saso of San Jose, halted his truck and stepped from the cab to find a gun pushed into his ribs and the command to stick 'em up given. There were three men in the holdup party. They made their escape in a coupe which they had parked near the place Padgett selected to stop.

Constable Albert Vervals of Pleasanton was called to investigate the robbery. Clues to the identity of the bandits are very meager as Padgett did not get the license number of their car.

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Vieux Brothers
for Special Xmas Terms

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is a Prescription for
Colds, Grippe, Flu, Dengue,
Bilious Fever and Malaria.
It is the most speedy remedy known.

RAY'S SANDWICH SHOP
Merchant's Lunch—Sandwiches
Ice Cream—Milk Shakes—Percolated Koffee
Decoto

Folders and parchments as well as cards—new, correct, in good taste. See the Township Register's complete line. N28tfc.

Whittier—Beverly Boulevard officially opened with city limits.

Madera—Saunders & Sheelut, insurance and loan firm, moved to new quarters in Stein building.

Maywood—Traffic signals to be placed at intersection of Slauson Avenue and Atlantic Boulevard.

LOCAL NEWS

Miss Blanche Sperbeck was the house guest last week of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Ellis. She is now with her mother, Mrs. Josephine Sperbeck, in Bellmont.

Mr. and Mrs. John Regan attended the concert presented in San Francisco Sunday by John McCormick, noted vocalist.

Joe Camasho, employee of the International Wood Products company, recently recovered from an illness of a week and a half, returning to work Monday.

Mrs. A. A. Hatch returned recently from Southern California, where she was visiting relatives.

Mrs. J. C. Shinn was a guest of friends in Berkeley last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hibner and Mr. and Mrs. James McKernan of Niles are spending Thanksgiving day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kerns at Clements.

RECORDS BROKEN BY CALIFORNIA TOURIST TRAVEL

California's automobile tourist crop for the first ten months of 1929 exceeded 187,000 persons, the Division of Motor Vehicles estimated this week.

Practically every part of the globe was represented in the great army of motor vehicles that came through the division's border checking or "courtesy" stations during the period.

The estimate is based on official records showing 62,486 permits for non-resident cars were issued for the year up to today.

These permits were issued to motorists who signified their intention of staying in California ten days or longer. It does not include the more than 100,000 non-resident cars which entered the state for ten days or less.

The division estimates each car brought an average of three persons into California.

Gridley—Oil and gas station at corner of Ohio and Hazel Street being enlarged.

Classified Advertising and Reader Notices

Telephone Twenty-three

RATES:

CLASSIFIED—One and one-half cents per word, first insertion; one cent per word each subsequent insertion.

READERS (run between news items)—Ten cents per line per insertion. Black-face lines, 15c per line.

MONTHLY RATES:

Classified, per line.....

Readers (regular type), per line.....

Readers (black-face type), per line.....

25c

30c

45c

The Register will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement.

Orders to discontinue "tf" (until forbidden) ads must be in writing, and brought to Register office or given to Register representative.

COPY RECEIVED UP TO 3 P. M., WEDNESDAY

Situation Wanted

WANTED—Housework by the hour or day. See Mrs. E. P. Hepler, Corner "I" and 2nd street, Niles. N28th

Furniture

HAYWARD NEW and Used Furniture Store, formerly 641 Castro street, is now at 828 B street, Hayward. N-8-29c

Miscellaneous

TAILOR—Bring your repairing and altering to PETER JOHNSON, the tailor, upstairs at 716 Castro street, Hayward, Calif. Prompt service, good work, reasonable prices guaranteed. Give me a trial and you will not regret it. J11p

Wanted

HORSES BOUGHT AND SOLD—We are in market for live chicken feed horses at highest prices; remove dead horses and cows immediately; buy and sell all kinds live stock at highest prices. Frank Pemental, Vallejo St. Phone Niles 132.

LIVE STOCK—Am dealing in all kinds of live stock; also buy and sell on commission. Dead stock removed on short notice. General hauling. Moved to corner Third and F streets, near school. Manuel Pemental. Phone 155, Niles

the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

ANNIE BENBOW, Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Oliver C. Benbow, also known as Oliver Benbow and also known as O. C. Benbow, deceased.

Dated at Irvington California, November 20th, 1929. Thos. J. Power, Irvington, Attorney for said Executrix. First publication November 21, 1929. N-21, 28; D 5, 12, 19

NOTICE OF HEARING OF PETITION FOR ABANDONMENT OF PUBLIC ROADS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all freeholders in Washington Road District, Washington Township, Alameda County, California, that Tuesday, the 26th day of November, 1929, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. of said day at the meeting room of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County in the Annex of the Hall of Records of said County at the Southeast corner of Fifth and Broadway Streets, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, have been fixed and appointed by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda as the time and place of the hearing of the petition of certain residents of said road district for the abandonment and vacating of portions of public roads in said Washington Road District, which portions sought to be abandoned are hereinafter described, when and where any person interested may appear and give evidence in favor of or against the proposed vacation and abandonment, as petitioned.

The portions of said roads so sought to be abandoned are described as follows, to-wit: All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the County of Alameda, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

All that portion of Seventh Street between the Southeasterly line of G Street and the Northwesterly line of H Street as said streets are delineated and so designated on that certain map entitled "Amended Plan of Decoto, Alameda County, California," etc., filed December 1, 1904, in the office of the Recorder of Alameda County, California.

DATED this 22nd day of October, 1929.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA.

GEO. E. GROSS, County Clerk and Ex-officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda.

N-7-14-21

Natural gas

CUTS FUEL COSTS

Straight natural gas is being served to all customers living in San Mateo, Santa Clara and Southern Alameda counties.

This natural gas contains over 1100 B.T.U.'s. or heat units per cubic foot. The manufactured gas heretofore served contained 550 B.T.U.'s. Customers are now receiving 2 times as much heat for their dollar.

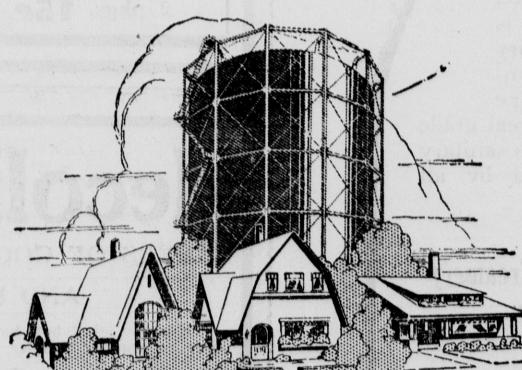
So why not take advantage of this new fuel for heating your home, as well as for cooking and water heating?

Gas-fired heating, in addition to its low cost, is convenient, care-free and a clean type of heating.

The new fuel itself, burning in modern appliances, is absolutely safe. Large industries are turning to natural gas because it is safe, clean, quick and easy to control.

Your dealer or our House Heating Department will gladly give you particulars, without obligation, on the type of gas-heating equipment best suited to your needs. Write, phone, or call our local office and a representative will respond.

Gas is cheaper— you can use more of It



PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY

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by Californians

N. G. NO. 4—1120

SUNOL

-- DEPARTMENT --

FIRE SCARE

G. E. Rorabach was a business visitor in Pleasanton Monday.

Mrs. Joseph Leal, Miss Lorraine Leal and Mrs. A. Silver spent Monday in San Mateo.

Anthony Silver and G. E. Rorabach spent the weekend at Warm Springs where they attended Raymond Brown's fall rodeo.

ATTEND BIG GAME
Several parties of Sunol football fans attended the big game between Stanford and the University of California at Palo Alto Saturday, the majority of them returning home much disappointed as U. C. is the favored school among most Sunolites.

A group of forty friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Rorabach were entertained at dinner Thanksgiving.

ARE YOU PAID UP?

In the same line with your name on your paper the correct date when your subscription expires is supposed to appear. Notice this date. If it indicates that the subscription has expired, kindly send in your renewal.

AID SAN MATEO
When the fire on the peninsula near San Mateo appeared to be getting beyond control last week, several score of men from the Spring Valley Water company at Sunol were rushed to the scene. They returned Saturday and Sunday after the blaze had been conquered.

Martinez—Construction will start soon on thirty-bed hospital site north of county hospital grounds, to cost \$75,000.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Number 47581
Department 4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Oliver C. Benbow, also known as Oliver Benbow and also known as O. C. Benbow, deceased, to all persons having claims against said decedent to, within six months after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or exhibit them to me at the law office of Thos. J. Power, Irvington, Alameda County, California, which place the undersigned selects as

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA.
GEO. E. GROSS,
County Clerk and Ex-officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda.

N-7-14-21

Pittsburg—Tin output of Columbia Steel Company's plant here to be increased by enlargement of mill to cost approximately \$4,000. Concrete reservoir also being constructed.

Eldridge—Construction started on new double cottage at Sonoma State Home to cost \$57,000.

WM. FOX ALL TALKING
COCK EYED
WORLD'
with
VICTOR M'LAGLEN
EDMUND LOWE
LILY DAMITA
SECOND RECORD WEEK +
11TH B'DWY OAKLAND FOX & DO G.L. 4010

Here is a
WIRELESS MONEYGRAM
to the Public
Containing Important News!

TO EVERY FAMILY in Niles and in the surrounding communities—just a word to our customers, many old friends and new:

We have been in business in Hayward for the past 19 years. At the beginning we resolved to build up our business on a foundation of four (4) main principles as a corner stone, namely, "Sterling Quality," "Good Courteous Service," "Fair Prices," and "Truth." On this foundation we arrived safely at this milestone in our business career and we have fully resolved to never deviate from this policy. We take great pride in carrying out our policy which has always been the "Golden Rule."

We are going to make this Sale a "Real Bargain Event!" We are overstocked for this time of the year and in order to protect our many customers of the past and new, we overbought in many lines.

In our launching of this Big Sale at this time of the year just before Christmas, there are some "outstanding facts" that we want to "drive home" with as much emphasis as possible during the 14 days of this Sale.

FIRST—We have secured the services of a Sales Manager and Merchandise Expert to help us re-arrange our stock and cut prices.

SECOND—To see for yourself that every article of merchandise must show a truthful price comparison and be a real and substantial saving we invite you to come and save as much as possible on your Christmas shopping at this store.

Signed: Edward A. Massa, Owner.
O. T. Butterfield, Sales Manager.

14--BIG SELLING DAYS--14
Sale Opens Friday, Nov. 29, 9:30

At the time this issue went to press we were unable to quote prices. But there will be plenty of bargains galore all over the store.

Edward A. Massa, 927 B St.,

Men's and Women's Furnishings and Dry Goods
Novelties—and Togs for Boys

"Hayward's Leading Dry Goods Store where Men and Boys can shop as well as Ladies"

SOCIAL WORKERS WISH TO CORRECT FALSE IMPRESSION

There is no life membership in the Red Cross.

The above announcement by Red Cross authorities smashes an idea which has gained some currency here.

During the annual drive for funds, which ended yesterday, local Camp Fire Girls conducting the campaign here discovered a number of citizens who declined to aid the charity on the ground that they had already purchased permanent memberships. The welfare workers, however, report there is "no such animal," and desire to correct the misunderstanding, as it works to their financial disadvantage.

THEATER SHOWS FILM TWICE AS TRIBUTE TO TURK

As a gracious gesture to Hizzoner, the Thanksgiving Turkey, the Niles theater management announces an extra performance of "Women They Talk About," talking picture which opens at the show house this evening.

Timed to follow upon the holiday dinner hour, the special showing of the film will begin at 6:15. A second performance will be presented at 8:15.

CATHOLIC BENEFIT WHIST DECLARED GREAT SUCCESS

San Francisco Woman Is Winner of Raffled Hope Chest

A big success.

That's what they all said about the card party held by the ladies of Corpus Cristi church at the Odd Fellows' hall here last Friday night.

And the verdict must be correct, if numbers mean anything, because "they" represent quite a large group. There were 37 tables of whist in progress during the affair, and a host of spectators were present to cheer the players on.

Drawing the winning number for the hope chest raffle, tickets for which were sold at the card party held November 23, provided a moment of high excitement. A Mrs. Hardy of San Francisco was the lucky lady.

Mrs. Frank Mellow carried off highest honors of the evening. She made a score of 125 points and was awarded a plump turkey as first prize.

Mrs. Leon Orcutt bagged the second prize, which turned out to be another Thanksgiving dinner. In all, there were 45 prizes awarded.

IRVINGTON

Mrs. Frances Turnbow is the house-guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blacow.

K. F. Reynolds, Stanford alumnus who hasn't missed one "big game," was a spectator at the Stanford-California classic last Saturday at Stanford.

See Register for Xmas cards.

OLD BAND STAND SIGHS AS PAINT ODOR WAFTS BY

Thomas, the tailor, and Maddux, the barber, two popular business men of Niles, are having the exterior and interior of their shops painted this week, an improvement that will aid materially to the appearance of Main street.

The past two months have brought improvements to this town's principle business street, among the major changes for the better being the construction of a new building for the Bank of Alameda county, the painting of the Ellsworth block, alteration of the old bank building into a modern store, the painting of the tailor and barber shops and the repainting of the Wesley Hotel.

The old band stand still suffers in silence, however.

Weather is Too Torrid For Good Duck Hunting

Reports from various duck clubs in the bay and San Joaquin valley districts are not so favorable for duck hunters at the present time, according to a report from the National Automobile club.

The weather has been unusually clear and fine for this time of the year and this, coupled with a shortage of water, has prevented the coming of the northern birds. At the present all birds are local but the later months will probably prove better as far as shooting is concerned. Wet weather will bring in the northern flocks.

Holiday cards that are different and distinctive. Come in and see our line. No trouble to show very large line. Township Register commercial printing department. N28tfc.

Martinez—Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co. started program of placing underground conduits here to cost approximately \$30,000.

If you can't be with them

At Christmas time there's one substitute they will appreciate—your photograph—the most personal of all gifts.



WALLACE STUDIOS
1090 "B" St.—Phone: Hay. 648—HAYWARD

FOR THE same price you pay for Market Milk, you can get Grade "A" Milk guaranteed by board of health, of Oakland, and by the State. But there is only one dairy in the township where you can get this real grade "A" milk with the sanitary cap recommended by all doctors.

The American Creamery Company

Just phone Niles 1W and we will place it on your doorstep the next delivery.

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MACMARR MUTUAL DIVISION

3 Carloads of S. & W. Coffee

To Sell at This Record Low Price . . .

Lb. 45c (Limit 2 lbs.) 2 lbs 89c

Savings Friday and Saturday

NOVEMBER 29 and 30

At the NILES MUTUAL Store

CLOROX

Two pint bottles and one quart bottle, all for only **29c**

EGGS

Small size extras at a special low price. See Store windows.

Peaches, Sutter-Pak, large 2 1/2 can, 2 for . . . 45c

Minced Clams, Pioneer, 2 cans . . . 35c

Codfish, 1-lb. pkg. 21c

Spinach, Libby's, large No. 2 1/2 can, 2 for . . . 29c

MATCHES

Bird's Eye
3 boxes
10c

BUTTER

Grade "A"
See store window for special price.

Cape Cod Cranberries 2 lbs 39c

Large, Firm Lettuce 5c

Sweet Potatoes, 6 lbs. for 29c

Roasting Chestnuts 2 lbs 45c

Bunch Vegetables 3 for 10c

CATSUP

Del Monte
15 oz. bottle **15c**

PEET'S SOAP

Granulated (Limit 2)
Large pkg. **33c**

Sauerkraut, Libby's large 2 1/2 can, 2 for . . . 29c

Pigs Feet, Rex brand, can 19c

Queen Lily Soap, 3 bars 25c

Rolled Oats, 4 lbs. for 25c

**JELL WELL Assorted Fruit flavors
2 pkgs. **15c****

**SUN MAID RICE
1 lb. pkg.
2 for **15c****

Hecolite Teeth

MAKERS OF GOOD ARTIFICIAL TEETH

AND EXTRACTIONS.

Hecolite—that new base for artificial teeth, which is lighter, more natural, and cooler to the mouth, can be had for

\$15.00

SPECIALIZING IN PLATE WORK, WE THINK WE ARE MORE PROFICIENT THAN THE AVERAGE DENTIST.

Painless Extraction.

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